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THE UNITY OF THE BRETHREN

"In essentials, UNITY; in non-essentials, LIBERTY; and in all things, LOVE."

May 16, 2023

Invitation from the Synodical Executive Committee to the

70th Biennial Convention of the Unity of the Brethren

"More Than Able"

The Theme of the 70th Biennial Convention is Ephesians 3:20-21 (NIV):

"Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen."

To the Synodical Committee Pastors & Lay members, Delegates, Committee Chairs:

You are most warmly invited to the 70th Biennial Convention of the Unity of the Brethren, to be held at: Camp Allen, 18800 FM 362, Navasota, TX on Thursday-Saturday, July 20-22, 2023.

The convention will begin Thursday, July 20, with registration at 3:00 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6:00 p.m., followed by Worship and Holy Communion at 7:30 p.m.

Delegates, Pastors and Day Guests must register by <u>June 16, 2023</u>. Room reservation forms will be emailed to all congregations and pastors. Please make your reservations through your congregation. The cost is as follows:

Single rooms - \$130 a night Double rooms - \$190 a night

All meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner) are included in the cost. No food is to be brought into the Conference Center. Room registration fees are paid by each congregation (not individuals; exceptions are Pastors) to the Unity. Day guests must also register with their congregation and pay a day charge of \$35 which includes lunch, specifying the day of attendance.

Reports and the convention agenda will be sent out in advance.

Let us all join in prayer that God will bless this gathering and that the work of the Holy Spirit will be evident among us as we seek to serve our Lord in this day and time.

In the love and service to Christ, our Lord Rev. Larry Koslovsky, Executive Committee President